BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2008-306-C - ORDER NO. 2008-688

OCTOBER 7, 2008

IN RE: Complaint of Becker Complete Compactor, Inc. v. Deltacom, Inc. v. Deltacom, Inc. v. Deltacom, Inc. v. Deltacom, Inc. De

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") on Deltacom, Inc.'s ("Deltacom") Motion for an Extension of Time to Respond to Complaint of Becker Complete Compactor, Inc. ("Becker"). The present docket was established upon the filing of a complaint on August 7, 2008, by Becker against Deltacom.

The Commission's Docketing Department issued and served a Notice on August 15, informing Deltacom of the complaint of Becker and the time in which to file an answer to the complaint pursuant to 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-826 and 103-830. Deltacom requests a 30-day extension to answer the complaint.

Deltacom states in its Motion that Deltacom received the notification of complaint on or around August 18, 2008; thereby DeltaCom's response to Becker's complaint would be due September 17, 2008. Deltacom requests that the Commission allow an additional thirty (30) days to respond to Becker. Deltacom requests the additional time to explore the possibility of settlement of the complaint, and should an answer prove necessary, the additional time is needed to review its records and prepare an answer.

Deltacom advises that the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff does not object to

Deltacom's request for an extension.

We have examined the motion of Deltacom and have concluded that the request

to extend the date for filing a response in this proceeding would not prejudice any party

and should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The Motion of Deltacom, Inc. for an extension of thirty (30) days to

respond to the complaint of Becker Complete Compactor, Inc. is hereby granted.

Accordingly, Deltacom, Inc.'s response is due October 17, 2008.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the

Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Elizabeth-B. Fleming, Chairman

ATTEST:

John E. Howard, Vice Chairman

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